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SUBJECT: ROKG CRITICISM OF TIME MAGAZINE ARTICLE

1. ACTING FOREIGN MINISTER YUN SOK-HON TOLD ME ROKG WAS INCENSED AT TIME MAGAZINE ARTICLE ON KIM TAE CHUNG AFFAIR IN LATEST ISSUE. THE PARTICULAR POINT OF CRITICISM CONCERNED DEROGATORY REFERENCE TO PRESIDENT PARK AND ACCUSATIONS THAT HE HAD ORDERED THE ABDUCTION. YUN SAID HIS GOVERNMENT COULD NOT UNDERSTAND HOW SUCH THINGS COULD BE PRINTED ABOUT THE CHIEF OF STATE OF A FRIENDLY COUNTRY PRESSURE TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT THE MATTER. HE ASKED IF IT WOULD DO ANY GOOD TO WRITE TO THE MANAGEMENT OF THE MAGAZINE. I SAID THAT WAS HIS PREROGATIVE. CERTAINLY WHENEVER ONE DISAGREED WITH SOMETHING THAT HAD BEEN WRITTEN HE COULD TAKE THE MATTER UP WITH THE RESPONSIBLE PERSON AND IF THERE WERE MISTAKES OF FACT HE COULD CRRECT THEM. HE ASKED ME TO WHOM THEY SHOULD WRITE AND I SUGGESTED THE EDITOR-IN-CHIEF AS THE APPROPRIATE PERSON. HE SAID HE WOULD INSTRUCT THEIR AMBASSADOR IN WASHINGTON TO TAKE THE MATTER UP AT THAT LEVEL.  
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